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Senators See Compromise on Railroad Legislation.

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STATESMEN THINK PRESIDENT WILL MAKE CONCESSIONS.

Senator Elkins Discussed Probable Action by Congress-Many Remedies Have Been Offered.

There is a much more hopeful feeling for a satisfactory compromise of all interests on the subject of rate legislation today than has existed at any time for many months past. The President's message, as read by many senators, is not exactly in line with what the President's policy has been declared to be in the past. In a word, a debate has been going on on the assumption that the President desired to have power given a commission for the regulation of railroad rates that would make such a commission largely independent of review by the court, and would give it enormous power over the railroads of the country.

As senators read the President's message they do not believe that he will favor such power being given to the commission. In this view of the situation they believe that | it will be entirely possible to frame a bill that will meet the suggestions in the President's message and at the same time will receive a majority of the votes of the Sen-

Many senators who rather dislike the public criticism that gives the President credit for a victory over the Senate have suggested that they have not changed their policy at all. From the beginning they have favored such legislation as would effectually remedy the evils in relation to discriminations between individuals, the danger of any extertionage rates and general equalof any extortionate rates and general equality of citizens in their dealings with rail-road corporations. But they have demanded road corporations. But they have demanded that this result be accomplished by methods that appear to them to be not only just and reasonable, but within such constitutional limits as will cause the law they may enact to stand if it is tested before the court as to its constitutionality.

Senator Elkins' Comment.

Senator Elkins, chairman of the commitee on interstate commerce, did not today introduce a bill for the regulation of railway rates, but he will do so in a few days. He has definite ideas on that subject, and now that the President's message has been published he believes, among others, that it will be possible to frame a bill that will accomplish every purpose of the President, and at the same time will meet the views of legal authorities in the Senate who will be called upon to comment and vote upon it. Speaking today on this subject Senator El-"Outside of abuses on the railroads, such

as private car lines and amendments that may be offered for the general regulation of such corporations, and coming directly to the rate question, I favor as the best solution of this question the passage of a bill that will accomplish the results indicated that will accomplish the results indicated in the President's message. In fact, I have always favored that policy, as I believe the committee has favored it. I desire such limitations placed upon the commission that will permit everything material it may do to be reviewed by a court. Under some of the plans that have been suggested the only question that could be considered by an appeal to the court by a railroad company would be whether the rate prescribed by the commission is consistatory, and the by the commission is consistatory, and the only question that could be considered in an appeal by a shipper would be whether a rate was distortionate or discriminatory. If a locality is aggrieved it would have no redress. Such legislation would bring into politics the adjustment of railway rates as between different seatlons of the country. The President does not desire to vest in the commission autocratic and uncontrolled power to fix rates. As stated in his message, he only desires to give to the com-mission power as to a fair hearing in each case to determine what is the maximum reasonable rate, this decision to go into effect within a reasonable time, and to obtain from thenceforward, subject to review

Two Plans Proposed.

"The President has often stated that the railway companies should have legal protection against any injustice. A statute can easily be drawn to effect this result. Two plans have been proposed. One plan is to vest in the commission power, after giving a fair hearing to the railway companies, to correct any rate that is unreasonable or un-justly discriminatory or otherwise unlaw-ful, and to provide for a review of the ac-tion of the commission by the courts. The other plan is to give the commission power to apply in the first instance to the court in a summary proceeding to restrain any unlawful or unjust discrimination or other ille-gality. Many of those most familiar with the subject believe that the better plan would be the more speedy and efficacious one. But if those who advocate vesting in the interstate commerce commission the power by its own order to control rates are in good faith seeking to carry out the policy of the President they should be willing to accept a statute providing substantially as fol-

'Whenever any rate, fare or charge eswhenever any rate, fare or charge es-tablished any such common carrier for any service shall be unreasonable or unjustly discriminatory or otherwise in violation of any provision of the interstate commerce act the commission shall have power, after ascertaining the facts and hearing the parties affected, to make an order modifying such rate, fare or charge, so far as may be necessary in order to remove the unreason-ableness or unjust discrimination or other illegality thereof, and such order shall take effect at the expiration of such time as the commission shall prescribe not less than twenty days after notice of the order shall have been given.

Right of Review.

"'Any party affected by such order shall be entitled to institute a proceeding to review such order in the circuit court of the United States for any district through which the line of the carrier may extend: and if the court shall find that the rate, fare or charge established by such carrier was not unreasonable or unjustly discriminatory or otherwise unlawful it shall enter a decree setting aside such order; but if the court shall find that such order of the commission modifies the rate, fare or charge established by the carrier, either more or less than was necessary in order to remove the unreasonableness or unjust discrimination or other unlawfulness there-of, then the court, by its decree, may direct the commission to modify and correct its order accordingly." This statement sets forth, in brief, the salient points of what will be known as

the Elkins bill Senator Foraker today introduced his bill, which has been published in The Star, and it will shortly be available to members of There are very many senators outside the committee who are much opposed to the idea of giving the commission authority that does not permit of appeals to the courts. It is not generally believed that such a measure could pass the Senate, and it is not believed that it could be reported from the interretals commerce committee.

Senator Dolliver is generally understood to favor a bill practically the same as that prepared by the interstate commerce com-mission. That bill places more absolute power in the hands of the commission than any other measure that is likely to come before Congress at the present session.

Where Ideas Differ.

As the case now stands, in regard to rate legislation, there are three plans. The plan of Senator Foraker, which places within the court the power to correct railway rate abuses; secondly, the plan of Senator Elkins, which gives certain power to the Elkins, which gives certain power to the commission to effect that purpose allowing an appeal from the commission's judgment to the court, and restricting the powers of the commission within limitations that Senator Elkins believes to be clearly defined in the President's message; the third plan, now known as the Dolliver plan, or the bill prepared by the interstate commerce commission, which practically permits railway rate litigation to begin and end within the commission.

Mrs. Charles P. Grandfield, treasurer, and Mrs. C. E. Emig, assistant secretary.

Mrs. Smith served as hostess and Mrs. Cohen gave a Bible reading. Mrs. N. B. Fernald told of the advantages gained by being enlisted in the ranks of the W. C.

Mildred Hawkhurst, W. Ston and Harold Mays.

Mildred Hawkhurst, W. Ston and Harold Mays.

M. Willis and Alice Crosby Innlan, kinder-garten teachers.

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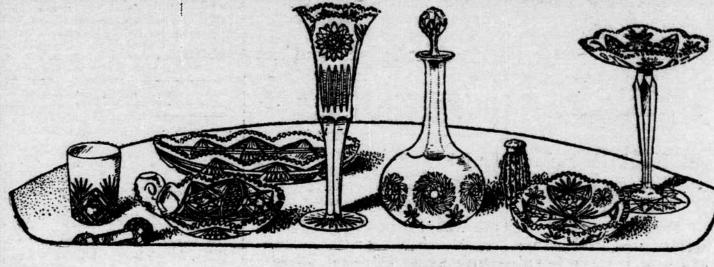
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\$1 up to \$14.98. Kid Body Dolls, 25c. to \$9.98. Celluloid Dolls, 10c. to \$2.98. Bisque Dolls, undressed, 5c. to \$1.25. Dressed Dolls up to \$47.50. There is not a store in this country that can meet the doll wants of the public better than we can, and no store anywhere can offer you better values. Right along with the dolls we have a complete line of sundries—dresses, caps, slippers, shoes, stockings, jewelry, hats, hat pins, carriages, china—EVERYTHING THAT A CHILD WANTS FOR A DOLL.

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MOTHERS' CLUB MEETS.

The Program of Exercises Includes

Number of Addresses.

Temperance Union Mothers' Club was held

yesterday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock at

522 6th street northwest. The meeting was

in charge of the District officers of the

Woman's Christian Temperance Union,

Mrs. Clinton Smith, president; Mrs. M. E. Cohen, vice president; Mrs. Emma San-

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T. U. Miss Ada Carroll Bowdle sang a Japanese love song and "My Hame is Where the Heather Blooms," by De Koven.

Japanese love song and "My Hame is Where the Heather Blooms," by De Koven. The address of the afternoon was given by Miss Susan Plessner Polick, principal of the Washington Normal Kindergarten Training School, on the subject, "Activity and Moral Development." "The activities of a child, instead of being repressed, should be directed into proper channels," she said. "Obedience must come first, through feeling the courtesy that accords to him his rights and exacts from him respect for the rights of others."

Mrs. Lindley D. Clark told of the aims and ambitions of the W. C. T. U. Mothers' Club, of which she is president. Mrs. A. U. Glies spoke for the White Ribbon Cradle Roll and received two new members—Franklin C. and E. Barrett Knock. Mrs. Smith announced an echo meeting of the W. C. T. U. annual convention, held recently in Los Angeles, Cal., to be held in the Mount Vernon Methodist Episcopal Church, 9th and K Streets northwest, on Friday evening, the 15th instant.

Mrs. J. F. James made an address in the interest of the Intermunleipal League of Household Research, in connection with the Federation of Women's Clubs of Washington.

The children were entertained in an ad-

RIBBONS--remnants. 1/2-in. Satin Ribbons, yd....1c.

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on the eligible printers listed at the civil mands in the government printing office occasioned by the assembling of Congress. Since Monday sixty-nine printers have been appointed from this list, and it is believed a number of other appointments will soon be made. The big printery force is now working night and day.

Owing to the large number of bills intro duced thus far in both houses of Congress the several bill forces are being rushed, in order that the senators and members and others interested may be in possession of printed copies at the earliest possible mo-

Crossman, Mrs. Wilbur Hawxhurst and Mrs. Frank Richards.

Among those present were Mrs. M. E. Cohen, Mrs. Ebert, Mrs. Emig, Mrs. E. G. Torrey, Mrs. Frank Knock, Mrs. J. W. Johnston, Mrs. R. Filnt, Mrs. Kennard, Mrs. A. M. Stuart, Mrs. A. O. Tingley, Miss Painter, Mrs. Giles, Mrs. Don P. Blaine, Mrs. E. S. Henry, Mrs. C. P. Grandfield, Mrs. R. H. Ramsay, Mrs. F. G. Wells, Mrs. C. A. Fisher, Mrs. H. N. Low, Mrs. M. M. White, Mrs. C. H. Hall, Mrs. W. W. Alvey, Mrs. A. V. McKee, Mrs. Lizzle King, Mrs. R. E. Jarvis, Mrs. Hawxhurst, Mrs. Nussbaum, Mrs. Votaw, Miss Crossman, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. L. D. Clark, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. De Reimer, Mrs. J. H. Myers, Miss Pollock, Mrs. L. Maybee, Mrs. C. Vicory, Mrs. J. James, Mrs. Elizabeth H. Wilson, Mrs. F. L. Ten Eyek, Mrs. W. H. Smyser, Miss Pearle Truman, Miss Grace Brick, Mrs. P. W. Keys, Mrs. Martin Sturgis, Mrs. S. Newnham, Mrs. Al, Slover, Miss Mary Thels, Mrs. H. V. Easterling and the following children: Richard Mattingly, Warren Flint, Margaret Easterling, Adrienne Low, Elizabeth Ramsay, Franklin C, and E. Barrett Knock, Harold Wilson, Edith E. Bunch, Joseph and Lucilla Myers, Mildred Hawxhurst, Willis Leighton Johnston and Harold Maybee. Big Silver Shipment to Orient. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., December 7.—In the treasure vault of the liner Doric, to sail Saturday for the orient, is \$2,400,000 in sliver buillon, consigned to the Asiatic coast, and still more is to be taken aboard

the orient, the Doric takes an unusual amount of silver on account of the prevailing high rate of exchange, and other following liners are expected to also carry large amounts of silver for the far east. In addition to this vast store of treasure, the Doric will sail with all the cabin passengers that can be accommodated and sengers that can be accommodated and sengers that can be accommodated with her holds full of freight to

Offered Peace Before His Death. COLOGNE, Prussia, December 7.-The Volks Zeltung today says it learns that Hendrik Witbol, the Hottentot leader, who recently succumbed to wounds received while attacking a German provision train on October 29, before his death offered as peace conditions that his men be allowed to keep their rifles, that they be supplied with 150 rounds of ammunition menthly, that their land and eattle be restored to them and that his (Withol's) pay as an officer of German colonial troops be doubled. "These terms," the paper adds, "were, naturally, rejected."

NEW YORK, December 7 .- Steams silver buillon, consigned to the Asiatic coast, and still more is to be taken aboard the steamer before her departure. Like the liner China, which recently sailed for morrow morains.